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December 10, 1996

E. M. (Buzz) Gerrick
Western States Minerals Corporation
Suite 130
250 South Rock Boulevard
Reno, Nevada 89431

Re: Request for Annual Report for the Year 1996

Dear Mr. Gerrick:

The enclosed annual report form(s) for the mine(s) referenced below should be completed and returned to this office by January 31, 1997.

Mine No.

M/003/007

Mine Name

Tug Project

This report is required by Rule R647-4-121 of the Division's Amended and New Rule, Minerals Reclamation Program, effective December 1, 1988. This report is required regardless of annual mine activity, unless you have received a written waiver or formal release from continued reclamation obligations from the Division. Thank you for your cooperation and prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

D. Wayne Hedberg
Permit Supervisor
Minerals Reclamation Program

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